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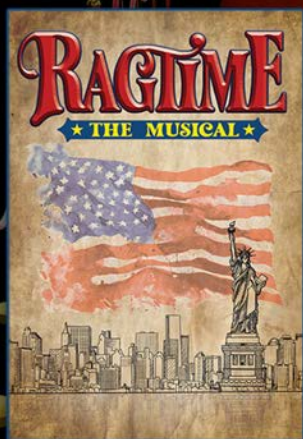
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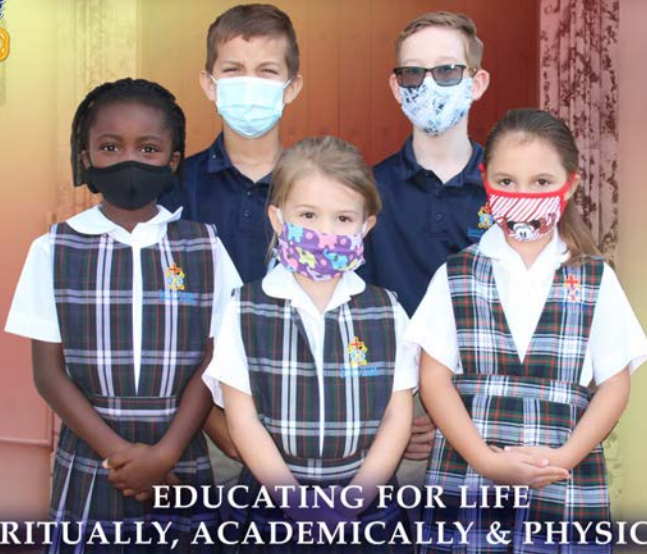
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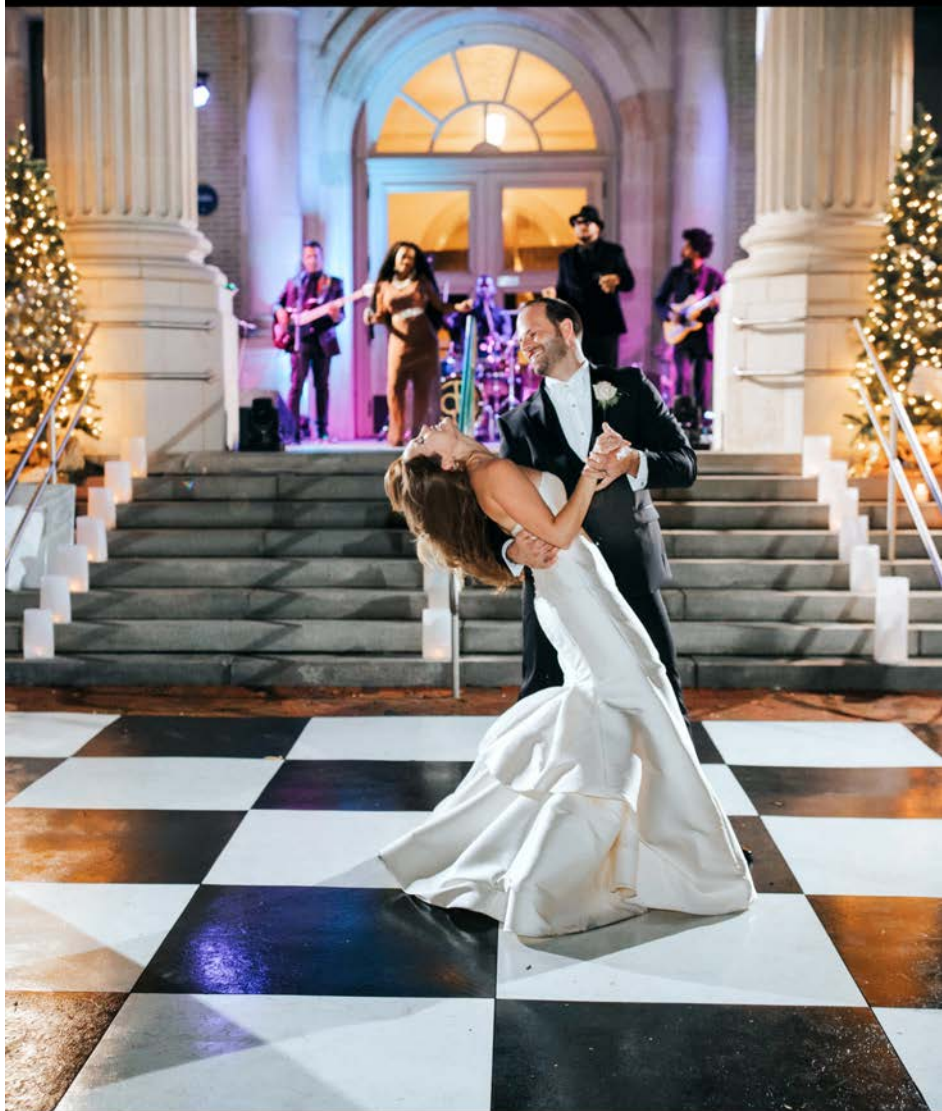
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~ Meet the Cast ~



Lenessa Age (Woman #2) is Love-struck to return to Athens Theatre! She is a BFA Musical Theatre graduate from AMDA Los Angeles & New York. Some of her recent credits include *Elf The Musical* (Athens Theatre), Suzy in *The Marvelous Wonderettes* (Legendary Productions), Amy in *Little Women* (Glendale Centre Theatre), Consuelo in *West Side Story* (North Star Theatre), along with *Godspell* (Legendary Productions), *Alice in Wonderland* (Glendale Centre Theatre), *A Christmas Carol* (Glendale Centre Theatre), *All Shook Up* (Center Stage Fontana), *Annie* (Glendale Centre Theatre), and *A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder* (Simi Valley ARTS). When Lenessa is not on stage she enjoys competitive ice skating, tanning by the pool, and eating pink donuts. Huge thanks to her family and friends for their constant support and encouragement. Check out what's new on lenessa-age.com and on instagram @loch_nessa.



Ryan Matthew Petty (Man #1 / Dance Captain) is thrilled to be making his Athens Theatre debut in this production of *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change!* Ryan is a recent graduate of Point Park University with a BFA in Musical Theatre. Some of his recent theatre credits include *Cinderella* (Orlando Repertory Theatre), *Mamma Mia!* (The Metropolitan Theatre), *Cabaret* and *Sunday in the Park With George* (Pittsburgh Playhouse). Ryan would like to thank his parents, the Endsley family, and the entire creative team for the endless support and encouragement.

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Russell Stephens (Man #2) most recently appeared as “Frankie” in the final weekend of *Forever Plaid: Plaid Tidings* at the Athens. Recent credits: *Christmas My Way* and *Crazy for Gershwin* (Winter Park Playhouse); “Frog” in *A Year with Frog and Toad* (Mad Cow Theatre); “Charley/Marvin Hamlisch” in *A Class Act*, “Cornelius Hackl” in *Hello, Dolly!*, “Preacher/Bus Driver” in *Violet*, and “Younger Brother” in *Ragtime* (Garden Theatre); and *Sondheim on Sondheim* (Celebration Theatre Co.), which he also directed. As a cabaret artist, he has performed at Winter Park Playhouse, The Abbey, Blue Bamboo, Aloft Hotel, with The Impulse Project, and for PerformerStuff.com, and his new cabaret *Everybody Says Don’t: the Music and Lyrics of Stephen Sondheim* will play The Abbey on March 22. A native of Huntsville, AL, Russell is a graduate of the University of Alabama’s Musical Theatre program and proudly serves as the Board Chair for Celebration Theatre Company. Instagram: @BrazenOvertures



Christie Young (Woman #1) Christie is thrilled to join the Athens Theatre for the first time. She most recently played Lady Eugenia in *A Gentleman’s Guide to Love and Murder* at Osceola Arts. After earning her MFA in Musical Theatre at UCF, she’s performed for Walt Disney World, Universal Orlando, Orlando Shakespeare Theatre, as well as theatres from New Hampshire to Alaska. Many thanks to my family for their continued support! Instagram: @foreverchristieyoung.

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~ Cast ~

Lenessa Age	Woman #2
Ryan Matthew Petty.....	Man #1
Russell Stephens.....	Man #2
Christie Young	Woman #1

~ Musicians ~

Pianist	Chris Endsley
Violin	Laura Firth
Bass	Sean Strott

~ Production Team & Technical Crew ~

Artistic Director.....	Craig Uppercue
Director/Choreographer.....	Mayme Paul
Dance Captain	Ryan Matthew Petty
Music Director.....	Chris Endsley
Assistant Choreographer.....	Caitlin Van Driessche
Scenic Designer	Michael Brewer
Costume Designer.....	Tamara Marke-Lares
Lighting Designer	Chad Conley
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Scenic Charge Artist.....	Bonnie Sprung
Scenic Builder/TD	Tori Oakes
Production Manager/Prop Coordinator	Frank Ramirez
Stage Manager	Grace Locklin
Assistant Stage Manager.....	Sami-Jo Harding
Costume & Prop Shop Manager	Amy Uppercue
Run Crew.....	Erin Michaud
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~ Act I ~

“Prologue”

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“A Stud and a Babe”
A STUD AND A BABE
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“Men Who Talk and the Women
Who Pretend They’re Listening”
SINGLE MAN DROUGHT
Lenessa and Christie

“WHY? ‘CAUSE I’M A GUY
Russell and Ryan

“Tear Jerk”
Russell and Lenessa

“The Lasagna Incident”
Christie and Ryan
I WILL BE LOVED TONIGHT
Christie

“And Now the Parents”
HEY THERE, SINGLE GAL/GUY
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“I’ll Call You Soon (Yeah, Right)”
Christie
HE CALLED ME
Christie and the Company

“Scared Straight”
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~ Act II ~

CANTATA REPRISE #2
Christie and Ryan
ALWAYS A
BRIDESMAID
Lenessa

“Whatever Happened
to Baby’s Parents?”
Russell, Christie and Ryan
THE BABY SONG
Ryan

“Sex and the Married Couple”
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ON THE HIGHWAY OF LOVE
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“Waiting”
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WAITING TRIO
Ryan, Christie and Lenessa

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Russell

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~ Meet the Production Team ~



Craig Uppercue (Artistic Director) A Stetson University alumnus, Mr. Uppercue has taught for 18 years in the public school systems of Florida from the Elementary to Collegiate levels. Craig is the Music Director of the Off-Broadway National Tour - *The Rock & The Rabbi* and performs with the show when available. Other performing opportunities include Broadway and Off~ Broadway credits such as *The Witnesses Musical* (Original Cast member), *The Lion King*, *Songs for a New World*, and numerous national tours throughout the U.S. He is actively involved with many professional symphonies and maintains an active performing schedule with professional artists throughout the nation. Mr. Uppercue has been with the Athens Theatre since 2011, and he has directed many musicals and plays at the Athens as well, most recently *Shrek!* Craig and his wonderful wife Amy live locally, enjoying every moment watching their three daughters grow up!



Mayme Paul (Director/Choreographer) is an award winning Director/Choreographer with over 30 years experience in the entertainment industry. As an actor, Mayme performed on Broadway in *A Chorus Line*, *Little Johnny Jones*, *The Tap Dance Kid* and the TONY Awards. Teaching experience includes the dance department at UCF for the past ten years. As a Director and Choreographer, Mayme has over one hundred credits on her resume' with productions in

LA, Seattle, Vegas and Central Florida. Recent shows include *Cabaret* at Theatre West End, *A Class Act* at the Garden Theatre and *Chicago* here at the Athens. She is thrilled to be back with the Athens Family after having worked on *Singin in the Rain*, *Into the Woods*, *The Fantasticks*, *Gypsy* and others.



Chris Endsley (Musical Director) is a 30-year veteran Musical Director and frequent MD around Central Florida. Chris has served as Musical Director at Garden Theatre, Athens Theatre, Seaside Music Theatre, Rollins College, UCF, Daytona State College, Orlando Rep and Granbury Opera House. He has taught music in Volusia County Schools for 25 years and Organist/Choir Director of North Lake Presbyterian Church. Chris holds a BM from Baylor University and MM from Florida

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Caitlin Van Driessche (Assistant Choreographer) is thrilled to be returning to the Athens, but in a new position. Previously, she has performed in multiple shows here, most recently being *Mamma Mia!* (Lisa/Dance Captain), *Chicago* (Hunyak/ Dance Captain), and *9 to 5* (Kathy). Caitlin began her training as a ballet student at the age of 6 with the Orlando Ballet, and at the age of 15, she began her professional ballet career with the Nashville Ballet. At the age of 18, Caitlin began training to join the musical theatre world, where she discovered a new passion. Currently, Caitlin is a full time performer at Universal Orlando Resort, performs in many theaters across Florida, is a full time college student, and is a freelance teacher/choreographer. Caitlin is ecstatic to be making her debut as an Assistant Choreographer, and hopes to continue growing this skill. Caitlin would like to thank the Artistic team for having her in this part of the process, and to her family for always supporting her.



Michael S. Brewer (Scenic Designer) Michael is a 1987 graduate of Wright State University in theatre design and technology. He started working as a scenic artist in regional theatres, The Alliance Theatre in Atlanta, La Jolla Playhouse, Cincinnati Playhouse, Cleveland Playhouse. He is currently based in Ohio and has been designing for local theatres there. He has designed *Guys and Dolls*, *A Christmas Story*, *Clue* and *Elf*. He hopes you enjoy *I Love You, You're Perfect Now Change!*



Bonnie Sprung (Scenic Charge Artist) is very happy to be back with Athens Theater after scenic painting for *Clue* and most recently *Elf The Musical*. Bonnie has a BA from Hofstra University in Set Design and Graphics, along with her AA from Valencia Community College in Fine Art. She has done set design, scenic painting, make-up and stage management for over 200 shows in Orlando and New York. She worked as Set/Scenic designer for the BCC Summer Fine Arts program and the JCC Center Players. Stage Manager, Sound and Graphics for Summer Winds Theatre. She has also designed for GenY Productions, First Academy Middle and High School, Westridge Middle School, Boone High, Lake Brantley High, Central Florida Community Arts and JCC Youth Academy. Bonnie is currently the head scenic charge at UCF. Some of her nominated designs include *Cabaret*, *The Flick*, *Bat Boy the Musical* and *Jane Eyre the Musical*. Bonnie has over 25 yrs. experience in curating, judging various art exhibits and thespian competitions. She is a member of the Women's Caucus For Art and is a past president of the FL chapter. Currently she is on the Seminole Cultural Arts Council Board. Bonnie, has shown her fine artwork and has received several awards. www.BonnieSprung.com.

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Frank Ramirez (Production Manager) is excited to be celebrating his fifth season with the Athens Theatre. Directing credits here at the Athens include *Arsenic & Old Lace*, *Always...Patsy Cline*, *9 to 5*, *Mamma Mia!* and the recent smash hit *Clue*. In the past, Frank has served as Company Manager for Heather Henson's IBEX Puppetry, Assistant Company Manager/Resident Stage Manager for the Tony Award-Winning Broadway Producing/General Management company

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Grace Locklin (Stage Manager) This is Grace's 18th show at the Athens Theatre. Some of her various credits include Stage Managing *Ain't Misbehavin'*, *Mamma Mia*, *Jerry's Girls*, *Seussical Jr.* and Assistant Stage Managing *Holiday Inn*, *Singing in The Rain* and *9 to 5*. She would like to thank the amazing production team and cast who have been nothing but delightful to work with.



Tamara Marke-Lares (Resident Costume Designer) is a Sculptor, Painter, Printmaker, and Creature Marionette maker. She has been designing costumes freelance for 19 years. She has designed for Dance, Ballet, Opera and Cirque productions, as well as numerous collaborative and solo productions. Some favorite costume credits include: *Shrek!*, *Elf*, *Clue*, *Ain't Misbehavin'*, *Jerry's Girls*, *Chicago*, *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare, Abridged*, *James and the Giant Peach*, *Guys and Dolls*, *Into the Woods*, *The Wedding Singer*, *Jekyll & Hyde*, *The Lion King, Jr.*, and *The Producers*. This is her sixth season with the Athens Theatre. Tamara spends her days creating art and costumes while being amazed by her two crazy talented children.

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~ Meet the Production Team ~



Chad Conley (Lighting Designer) is excited to be back at the Athens Theatre surrounded by amazing artists. He'd like to thank his friends and family for their support and his husband David for all he does.



Amy Uppercue (Costume Shop Manager) has been working behind the scenes at the Athens Theatre since 2011, and has loved being a part of all the magic that has



been created on our stage. Previous costume design credits include *The Little Mermaid, Jr.*, *A Year with Frog and Toad*, *Legally Blonde: the Musical*, and *Footloose*. In addition to running the Athens Costume Shop, Amy is also a teaching artist for the Athens Theatre Youth Academy. Amy and her husband have three little ladies that are their biggest blessing and greatest joy. Enjoy the show!

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~ Meet the Musicians ~

Chris Endsley (Pianist/Musical Director) **See Production Team bios**



Laura Firth (Violin) began her professional music career in Ohio playing in the Canton Symphony. She discovered a love for playing shows which led her to Orlando. She has performed at Walt Disney World, Sea World, Universal Studios and various convention shows and musicals. She has toured Florida with the Mantovani Orchestra and artists such as Liberace, Johnny Mathis, Red Skelton, Andy Williams and Rod Stewart. Laura is featured in a series of Monday Night Football commercials, Party Around the World, from the 1995-1996 season. Laura has been fortunate to combine her freelance life along with being a (now retired) 35 year Orange County Public Schools educator.



Sean Strott (Bass) is a music educator within Volusia County and has performed/recorded with the Athens Theatre for hits such as *Holiday Inn*, *Plaid Tidings*, and *Always...Patsy Cline*. He currently serves as the Orchestral Director at University High School, Deltona High School, and Galaxy Middle School. Sean holds a Bachelor of Music Education from Stetson University and performed as principal bassist in both the Stetson Chamber and Symphonic Orchestras.

A promotional poster for a tribute to Elvis Presley. The background is dark with a starburst effect and colorful bokeh lights. In the center, a man dressed as Elvis Presley in a white jumpsuit with gold fringe and a gold chain around his neck is playing a light-colored acoustic guitar. The guitar has a black pickguard with a white starburst design and the name 'PRESLEY' on the fretboard. The text 'COMING TO THE ATHENS MARCH 25' is at the top in yellow. Below it, 'TED TORRES MARTIN' is written in yellow, followed by 'a tribute to' in orange. At the bottom, the word 'ELVIS' is written in large, white, stylized block letters.

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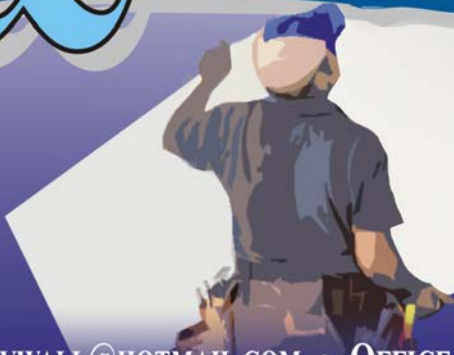
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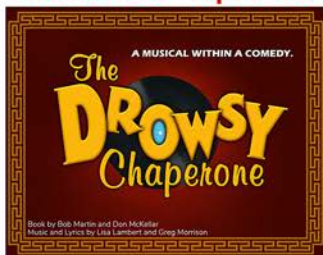
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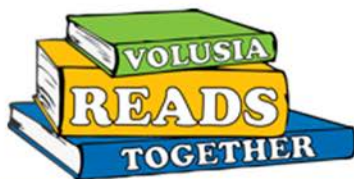
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